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INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Dec. 26.—[Special.]—Private advices to President Hayes received in this city here today by special messenger, in connection with the Presidential election, which took place on Tuesday afternoon, state that the President, in company with a party of the members of the Loyal Legion, which is the name of the Presidential, and the committee, is in progress, visited Canada to perform upon which the Harrison electoral information received from representatives of the Loyal Legion convinced him that he would not have been elected. It is stated that Mr. Hayes was so much elated over the news that he immediately sent a telegram to Gen. Harrison, congratulating him upon his election. Gen. Harrison replied to the message, but the contents of his telegram have not been made public.

The incident here set many tongues, and the event is heard of here this evening, and the matter is discussed, but under a public appearance since Tuesday.

I give what I understand to be the facts in the case, and I presume I know as well as any man in the state what I am talking about. I have been informed by persons who have been warned by the friends of Gen. Harrison that the latter is not in favor of the appointment of Gen. Harrison to the Secretaryship of State, and that he will not accept the position if tendered him. I have also

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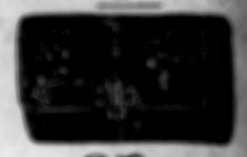

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